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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Mark Baker, Complainant/Petitioner v. Duke Energy Progress, LLC,

Defendant/Respondent **Docket No: 2022-155-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") submits this letter in response to a letter filed by Mark Baker (the "Complainant") in this docket on June 7, 2022.

On May 5, 2022, ORS provided notice to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") that it does not plan to participate in Docket No. 2022-155-E. On June 7, 2022, the Complainant filed a letter with the Commission in response to Duke Energy Progress, LLC's response to the Complainant's discovery. ORS offers the following information for the specific purpose of clarifying the record as to its investigation of Mr. Baker's concerns. ORS received the Complainant at issue in this docket at 10:08 p.m. on April 19, 2022. As a result, ORS contacted the Complainant on April 20, 2022. ORS informed the Complainant that ORS did not have the authority to investigate or regulate public health or light quality matters. ORS then informed the Complainant of the Commission's Complaint Process in the event he wished to file a formal complaint with the Commission.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Donna L. Rhaney

cc: All Parties of Record (via e-mail)

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